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In re Application of: Alan Forbes MERRY

Serial No.: 09/508,499 Art Unit: 3738

Confirmation No.: 1189

Filed: April 12, 2000 Examiner: T. Barrett

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Hon. Commissioner of
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Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action dated October 11, 2002, please
amend the above-identified application as follows: